

Supplemental
DETAILED ACTION

This action is responsive to Applicant's initiated interview on February 17, 2009.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Steven Wegman (31,438) on February 17, 2009 at 9:10 AM EST.

Claim 12 line 6 recites "transmission/reception port", has been amended to recite --transmission and reception port--

Allowable Subject Matter

2. As indicated in the office action mailed on January 28, 2009, claims 1-8 and 10-13 are allowed (renumbered: 1, 2, 6-12, 3-5, respectively).

3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

This supplemental amendment is to correct typographical errors in claim 12 and the reasons for allowance remain as indicated in the office action mailed on January 28, 2009.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Mi'schita' Henson whose telephone number is (571) 270-3944. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday - Thursday 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Eliseo Ramos-Feliciano can be reached on (571) 272-7925. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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